

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Thomas E. Hansen, et al. Examiner: Melvin C. Mayes  
Serial No. 10/000,254 Group Art Unit: 1734  
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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR APPLYING LINERLESS LABELS

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**The following documents are hereby submitted:**

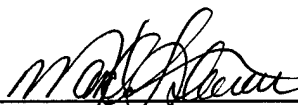
- ☒ Amendment and Response (16 pages)
- ☒ Declaration of Mr. Raymond Pace (2 Pages)
- ☒ Notice of Appeal
- ☒ Transmittal Sheet
- ☒ Return postcard

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(1) Highest Number of Claims Previously Paid For	(3) Present Extra	Rate	Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	-	20	0	x 9.00 =	\$00.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	-	4	0	X 43.00 =	\$00.00
[ ] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED						\$00.00
TOTAL						\$00.00

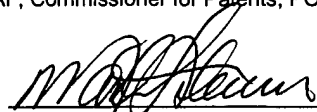
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